

COMBINED AMENDMENT & PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) (Small Entity)						Docket No. ML-0486US
In Re Application Of: James M. Zavislak et al.						
Application No.	Filing Date	Examiner	Customer No.	Group Art Unit	Confirmation No.	
09/786,901	03/09/2001	Jamara A. Franklin	024,902	2876	6601	
Invention: IMAGING OF SURGICAL BIOPSES						
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<u>COMMISSIONER FOR PATENTS:</u>						
<p>This is a combined amendment and petition under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a response to the Office Action of <u>11/17/2004</u> in the above-identified application.</p>						
<p>The requested extension is as follows (check time period desired): ADDITIONAL</p> <p><input checked="" type="checkbox"/> One month <input type="checkbox"/> Two months <input type="checkbox"/> Three months <input type="checkbox"/> Four months <input type="checkbox"/> Five months</p> <p>from: <u>04/17/2005</u> Date until: <u>05/17/2005</u> Date</p>						
<p>Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.</p>						
<p>The fee for the amendment and extension of time has been calculated as shown below:</p>						
CLAIMS AS AMENDED						
	CLAIMS REMAINING AFTER AMENDMENT	HIGHEST # PREV. PAID FOR	NUMBER EXTRA CLAIMS PRESENT	RATE	ADDITIONAL FEE	
TOTAL CLAIMS	26 -	33 =	0	x \$25.00	\$0.00	
INDEP. CLAIMS	14 -	12 =	2	x \$100.00	\$200.00	
FEE FOR AMENDMENT						\$200.00
(difference between 2nd and 3rd month)						FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME
TOTAL FEE FOR AMENDMENT AND EXTENSION OF TIME						\$485.00
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The fee for the amendment and extension of time is to be paid as follows:

A check in the amount of _____ for the amendment and extension of time is enclosed.

Please charge Deposit Account No. 50-1101 in the amount of \$485.00

The Director is hereby authorized to charge payment of the following fees associated with this communication or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 50-1101

- Any additional filing fees required under 37 C.F.R. 1.16.
- Any patent application processing fees under 37 CFR 1.17.

If an additional extension of time is required, please consider this a petition therefor and charge any additional fees which may be required to Deposit Account No. 50-1101

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